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MEMBERSHIP DUES: Membership in The Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors is \$3.00 per year. It is that time of the year to renew your membership. Please send your dues to:

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Charters members please include that extra \$1.00 for your 8 x 10 wooden list of charter members as was voted on in the election held this past summer. Enclosed is a Renewal of Membership Blank.

AUCTION: This is another of Bruce's projects but is bogged down with our current mail strike. All we can say is that once the mail gets moving you will here more about it. Everyone will have an opportunity to bid on any lots they might want to add to their collection.

MAIL STRIKE: As I type this there is a pile of envelopes here. The October issue of Timber Talk destined to our Canadian members are waiting to be mailed. I drove down to Spokane for a short visit last week so took along Timber Talk addressed to U. S. members and mailed them. This may not exactly be fair, but I thought I would get out what copies possible. Also while in Spokane I picked up four Sambo's pieces from their local Sambo's Restaurant on the north side. The manager was not in so all I could get were those in the till. Also talked with Mrs. Irene Alexander, Librarian for TAMS, and wooden money collector.

CANADIAN WOODEN MONEY QUIZ: by Tom Hudson and friends

1. In 1962 Robertson Motors issued a pair of wooden nickels (one 5¢, one 10¢). In which Ontario town is Robertson Motors?
2. Mercury Dry Cleaners issued a wooden nickel in this city in 1968.
3. This piece was struck for distribution during the Lobster Festival in this Maritime town when it was twined with Breaux Bridge, Louisiana.
4. Beausejour, Manitoba issued a 25¢ wooden nickel for their 50th Jubilee in which year?
5. The "Cradle of Mining" wooden nickel was issued in which Ontario city?

ARTICLES FOR TIMBER TALK: Please send any article on Canadian wood to the editor. It is difficult to make a newsletter interesting and different from previous ones without the help of all members. Response has been good but almost every article submitted has been printed. If you know the history surrounding a particular piece of wood, know of a new issue, have an interesting comment, or whatever please send to the editor.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE

CANADIAN WOODEN MONEY QUIZ ANSWERS:

1. Almonte, Ontario
2. Abbotsford, B. C.
3. Shediac, N. B.
4. 1962
5. Cobalt, Ontario

See you all next month. Hopefully the mail strike will be over and we will have more to report.

